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Mr. Allen W. Dulles,  
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Dear Mr. Dulles:

I have written to you previously about contributing a statement of from 500 to 800 words on the value and efficacy of prayer, to be included in my book, WE BELIEVE IN PRAYER. I hope that you can do this.

The enclosed leaflet lists the individuals who have sent me their statements.

Very truly yours,

LMB/r

*No reply required -  
See 229-9890/H*

American leaders in all fields of human endeavor have been invited to contribute statements about the value and efficacy of prayer in the new book, **WE BELIEVE IN PRAYER**, to be published in September, 1958.

Here is a list of contributions already received. A similar number are preparing their statements. It is planned to include 500 statements in the book. I hope that you will decide to be included.

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